

GENERAL FACULTIES COUNCIL

General Faculties Council Minutes are provided through JOHN NICOL, Secretary to the Council.

The following matters were considered by the Council at its meeting on August 13, 1970.

A University Ombudsman. The Report of the President's Committee on the proposal for a University Ombudsman was considered by the Executive Committee on April 20, 1970 when it was agreed that further consideration of the Report be deferred until University regulations, which were under scrutiny, had been clarified.

A letter was received subsequently from the Chairman of the Ombudsman Committee, which asked that the Committee's Report be circulated widely amongst the University community for general discussion. The Executive Committee agreed that this be done and that the Report be afterwards placed on the agenda of a suitable meeting of General Faculties Council.

Academic Plan 9. The first report of the Academic Development Committee on Academic Plan 9 was approved by a majority of the Executive Committee.

Faculties and schools had been directed to submit projections on the number of students that each faculty or school should provide for in a total University registration of 24,000 full-time students.

The basic guidelines used by the Committee in revising the projections received and in preparing the report included:

- (a) maintaining a reasonable balance between the humanities, social sciences, and natural sciences on the one hand, and the professional faculties on the other,
- (b) retaining a reasonable balance of freshman, sophomore, and senior students in the undergraduate programs,
- (c) striking a balance between graduate and undergraduate students,
- (d) taking into account Athabasca University which would offer predominantly undergraduate programs in Arts, Education, and Science.

Pollution at The University of Alberta.

Members of the Committee had before them questions which had been raised by the Public Health Engineer of Edmonton as to the disposal of such things as "used up"

chemicals, test animals, and non-returnable radio-active materials at the University.

It was agreed that this problem be referred to the Department of Physical Plant for investigation with the request that a report be submitted for the consideration of General Faculties Council.

ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY SYMPOSIUM HELD HERE

The 1970 Summer Symposium of the Analytical Chemistry Division of the Chemical Institute of Canada is being held at the University this Thursday and Friday, August 20 and 21. The subject this year is trace analysis, its techniques and application to environmental problems.

The invited speakers are GARRY A.
RECHNITZ, Professor of Chemistry and
Director of the Centre for Scientific
Measurement and Instrumentation at the
State University of New York at Buffalo,
and WILLIAM D. MAC KINTOSH of Atomic
Energy of Canada Limited at Chalk River.

Local Chairman of the Symposium Committee is JAMES PLAMBECK, Associate Professor of Chemistry.

SOCIOLOGY DEPARTMENT CHAIRMAN APPOINTED

JOHN FORSTER, Professor of Sociology, has been appointed Chairman of the Department of Sociology as of July 1. He succeeds GORDON HIRABAYASHI, who returns to his post as Professor after serving as Chairman from 1963-70

Professor Forster is a native of New Zealand. He holds a Master of Arts degree in Sociology and Anthropology from the University of Hawaii, and a PhD in Sociology and Anthropology from the University of California at Los Angeles.

Professor Forster has lectured at the University of Minnesota and Victoria University, Wellington, New Zealand. He came to this University in 1968. Prior to his appointment as Chairman, Professor Forster served as Associate Chairman from February 1969 to June 1970.

In 1963 Professor Forster was honored with the University of Minnesota Outstanding Teacher Award. He has served as a Consultant (1962) to the Pakistan Peace Corps



Project, was Reader (1960-63) for the National Science Foundation (Social Science Section) and Consultant to the New Zealand Department of Mental Health (1965-68). His major professional interests are in the areas of social and economic development and social change. He has worked throughout the Pacific on problems of social and economic adaptation faced by Pacific Island communities. His publications deal with aspects of this research as well as with New Zealand. His most recent publication, Social Process in New Zealand, is an entitled volume concerned with contemporary changes in the New Zealand population and labor force.

PEOPLE

- MILAN V. DIMIC, Chairman of the Department of Comparative Literature, will present a paper on "Romanticism and the Mediterranean Heritage" to the Tri-Annual Congress of the International Comparative Literature Association, to be held in Bordeaux, France, at the beginning of September. He has been invited to chair one of the sessions of this Congress.
- A one man exhibition of paintings by HARRY WOHLFARTH, Associate Professor in the Department of Extension, opened in Rome on July 16. The exhibition was sponsored by the Tiberian Academy of Rome, the former Royal Italian Academy.

Professor Wohlfarth was awarded the Academy's gold medal for his contributions to the fine arts; he is the fifth recipient of the medal in the one hundred and fifty year history of the Academy.

- G. S. H. LOCK, Professor of Mechanical Engineering, has been appointed a rapporteur to the forthcoming Fourth International Heat Transfer Conference to be held in Versailles from August 31 to September 4. Dr. Lock, who will act as a rapporteur for the session on Heat Conduction With Change of Phase, is one of three Canadian rapporteurs attending the Conference.
- HERMANN TENNESSEN, Professor of Philosophy, is to address the American Psychological Association on September 4, 1970, at Miami Beach, Florida. He has been invited to begin the session: "Dialogue between Psychologists and Philosophers." Professor Tennessen is a Fellow of the Centre for Advanced Research in Theoretical Psychology.

NOTICES

COMPUTER PROGRAMMING COURSE

A certificate program in computer programming will be launched by the Department of Extension. The curriculum will allow students to concentrate on either business applications, scientific applications, or a combination of both. The basic course, Computer Fundamentals, will be offered beginning October 13, Tuesday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. The fee is \$45. In January, the second course, Introduction to Systems Analysis, will be offered.

Applicants for the certificate program should have a senior high school diploma, be over 21, and have experience in business, industry, or government. Students are encouraged to enrol in individual subjects if they do not wish to complete the certificate. Registration deadline is October 2.

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VOICE COURSE OFFERED

A short course designed to improve power and ease in speech, and extend vocal range, will be given this fall. There will be two sessions per week for 12 weeks, and the enrolment fee is \$55. For more details, contact MRS. JEAN MAC INTYRE, The Department of Elementary Education, at 432-5350, or NEIL FREEMAN, Assistant Professor of Drama, at 432-6556.

FOREIGN STUDENTS NEED HOMES

The student housing problem this fall will be especially severe for foreign students. This could be alleviated in part by families willing to share their homes at a reasonable cost with students from other countries. If you would be interested in such an experience, please contact the Graduate Students' Association office, 432-5329, between the hours of 1 and 4 p.m., for further information.

AASUA GROUP LIFE INSURANCE PLAN

The enrolment period for coverage in the AASUA Group Life Insurance Plan has been extended from July 31 to August 31 for those staff members who were not covered by the group plan as of June 30. This extension has been granted by the Occidental Life Insurance Company to allow those individuals who were away from the campus during July to make application for coverage under the new University contributory plan. For further information call MRS. N. MEGER OF D. F. LARRATT at the Payroll Division at the Office of the Comptroller, 432-5209.

PERSONAL NOTICES

Notices must reach the Editor by 9 a.m. the Friday prior to publication. They must be typed, and not exceed 35 words including heading.

- WANTED—By female University employee, unfurnished 2-room suite within walking distance of campus. Willing to share bathroom facilities. Will not pay more than \$50 or \$55 monthly. Abstainer. Ask for Mary at 422-4382.
- wanted to rent—2- or 3-bedroom home by new faculty member, starting latter part of August or Sept. 1. Any good area considered. 432-4351.
- FOR SALE—Now vacant. Lovely spacious 10-month-old 3-bedroom house, 2 baths. \$22,800 with \$6,000 CTM 8½ per cent. Call 474-5776. Ask for Pat.
- FOR SALE—1965 VW 1500. New tires. Good condition. Asking \$650. 439-4873 evenings or weekends.
- FOR RENT—New 3-bedroom furnished house in Sherwood Park. From September 15 to May 1. Call 699-2391.
- FOR SALE:—By owner, charming 3-bedroom home with family room, etc. 10 minutes from campus. \$28,000, 488-6875.
- FOR SALE—1970 Datsun 1600. Radio, snow tires, balance of warranty. Excellent condition, \$1,950. 432-3415, 439-0182.
- TYPING—Experienced typist wishes to do typing at home, transcribing notes, manuscripts, etc. Good English, excellent speller. Mrs. M. Litwin, Box 856, Leduc. 1-446-3189.

- FOR SALE—Summer cottage with one acre of lakeshore land. Living room with stone fireplace, 2 bedrooms and kitchen. On north shore of Hastings Lake, 28 miles east on Highway 14. 432-3449, 439-8354.
- FOR RENT—4-bedroom house. Saskatchewan Drive near 104 Street. Available September 1, 439-6834 after August 17.
- SHARED ACCOMMODATION—Girl to share one bedroom suite with same. Call Mary at 429-5261, local 210 between 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m.
- FOR SALE—Cooey-Winchester 12-gauge shotgun; 11 by 12 foot nylon green rug; matching antique satin drapes, 18 feet by 81 inches; living room furniture, 23-inch TV, automatic washer, electric stove. 433-2892.
- FOR SALE—Desk, 20 by 48 inches, seven drawers. Rust colored. Gail, 432-3221, or evenings 432-7786.
- FOR SALE—300mm telephoto lens to fit Nikon F mount. 432-4574 (day); 475-2245 (evenings). \$100.
- FOR SALE—1968 red Mustang. 6 cylinder, 3 speed transmission, 31,000 miles, warranty valid. \$1,900. 699-2195.
- FOR SALE—Charming 2-bedroom bungalow in old Glenora. Architect-designed, fully landscaped, mature trees, heated garage, refrigerator, stove. 5 minutes from campus. 13416 102 Avenue. 482-4294 or 488-1028.
- WANTED TO RENT—Unfurnished 3- or 4-bedroom house with stove and refrigerator, preferably in south or west, from September, 1970. Phone 4489 (local).
- FOR SALE—Bungalow in excellent condition in Belgravia, 2 bedrooms (plus 2 in basement), 2 living rooms, rumpus room, kitchen. Double garage, attractive garden. Price \$21,600. 433-1931 or 432-4098.
- SUITE FOR RENT—Furnished 2-bedroom suite, west of the University and close to it. View over the river. Suit 2 adults. Can be unfurnished. Phone 433-3823 or 454-4592 in business hours.

POSITIONS VACANT

Applicants are sought for the following positions. The Personnel Office (Room 121, Administration Building) will provide further details to interested persons, who are asked not to approach the departments directly.

Clerk (\$261-\$317)—Student Health Services Switchboard Operator (\$317-\$386)—Student Health Services

Bookstore Cashier (\$274-\$333)—Bookstore Clerk-Typist I (\$261-\$317)—Campus Development Clerk-Typist II (\$302-\$368)—Maintenance Garage; Educational Research; Pharmacy; Dentistry; Sociology; Germanic Languages; Personnel; History;

English
Clerk-Steno I (\$274-\$333)—Elementary Education;
Food Science

Clerk-Steno II (\$317-\$386)—Food Science; Dentistry; Extension; Chemical and Petroleum Engineering Clerk-Steno III (\$386-\$447)—Chemistry

Clerk-Typist III (\$368-\$425)—Economics; Campus Development

Secretary I (\$425-\$517)—Mining and Metallurgy Library Clerk II (\$302-\$368)—Extension Library Student Record Processing Clerk (\$368-\$447)— Education Student Records

Bookkeeper II (\$368-\$447)—Animal Science Payroll Clerk II (\$425-\$517)—Comptroller's Office Assistant Control Clerk (\$288-\$405)—Computing

Accounts Clerk I (\$333-\$405)—Comptroller's Office Laboratory Assistant III (\$405-492)—Genetics Audio Visual Technician I (\$470-\$571)—Technical Services

Chemical Technician (\$470-\$571)—Food Science Specialist Technician (Laser) (open)—Electrical Engineering

Laboratory Assistant I (\$274-\$333)—Pharmacology